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PATENT APPLICATION
Serial No. 09/462,224
Atty. Docket No. 3691-991961

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit 3617 :

In re application of :

MARCEL H.A. JANSSENS :

Serial No. 09/462,224 :

**RAIL TRACK HAVING
ENHANCED ABSORPTION
OF VIBRATION AND SOUND**

Filed January 3, 2000 :

Examiner F. Jules :

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 21, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A copy of the amended claims with revision marks showing changes is enclosed with this amendment as Attachment A.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on June 19, 2001.

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